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Local Communications, Advertisements, etc. especially solicited. It aims to give all the news of local importance, and to discuss all subjects of interest to the people. It claims as full freedom of opinion as it claims for itself, extending over all subjects, and no particular objects or interests, and news or diversions of doubtful utility. It is a weekly paper, and is intended to be a local paper conducted upon these principles and to become a success.

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LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Mrs. A. C. Marr has gone to Trenton as a delegate to the Woman's Relief Corps Convention at Trenton.

Estimates are being made for the new building of Harris Bros., which will be commenced April 1st.

Frederick Kehler fell from a building in East Orange on Saturday, but fortunately only received slight injuries.

Aurora Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, will masquerade at Baab's next Monday, which is St. Valentine's Eve.

Wm. E. Eastman's mother, who has been dangerously ill at her home in Newark, is recovering.

Mrs. Ballington Booth will speak in the Congregational Church at Montclair on Sunday evening, February 19th.

Bessie Spencer, the grand daughter of C. L. Voorhees, is sick with the scarlet fever, but is recovering.

Father Nardello, who is taking a much-needed rest, has been heard from at St. Augustine, Florida.

Col. W. F. Switzer, an ex-member of Congress from Missouri, was in town this week, as the guest of Elias S. Osborne.

The officers of the Uniformed Rock Knights of Pythias, will be installed by Col. Hitchcock of Newark, next Monday.

A horse belonging to Sydney Van Dine of Fairfield, died on Tuesday on Bloomfield Avenue. Health Inspector Corby attended to the removal of the carcass.

The Compressed Barrel Company can make a barrel in two minutes. There is a company in Bloomfield that can empty two kegs at a time.

Mr. Robt. B. Davis of Bloomfield Ave., Glen Ridge, has purchased six acres of land between Washington and Linden Avenues, above Bloomfield.

J. M. Bancroft, Nathan Russell, Wm. A. Bush and other members of Pieron Post have gone to Trenton to attend the G. A. R. Department Encampment.

Raker & Son have a contract to overhaul the Power's mill, which, rumor has it, will be used by the Artificial Ice Company.

Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias will be held in Trenton next Tuesday. Mr. A. Day is delegate from Eureka Lodge of Bloomfield.

There will be a special meeting of Essex Hook and Ladder Company on Tuesday night and a supper at the Bloomfield Hotel, furnished by Arthur Lantham.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jacobus of Pitt St., who died last week, was buried in Bloomfield cemetery last Sunday.

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There will be a meeting of the Sewer Committee to-morrow at the residence of Mr. G. Lee Stout, at which it is expected plans will be arrived at which will be satisfactory to Montclair and Bloomfield as to the sewer to be built through our town ship.

The loss on Westminster chapel has been adjusted by the Insurance Companies. J. E. Capen has made plans for the building up of the chapel, with a room in the rear to be used for the infant class. The interior of the chapel will be arranged to the convenience of the Sunday School.

Delays on the Bloomfield and Orange cross roads are becoming very frequent. Two obstinate drivers on Monday, both of whom of course were right and would not give way to the other, caused a terrible accident Monday night. Passengers should carry their complaints to the Superintendent of the road.

Monday evening was ladies' night at the Ceylon Bowling Club. The wives of the members were present and after bowling for a few hours the party adjourned to "The Essex" where supper was served which was followed by a dance. The Ceyloners have not long been in existence as a bowling club, but they have already contrived to spend some very pleasant evenings.

The trustees of Westminster Presbyterian Church at a meeting on Monday night, voted one hundred dollars to the Bloomfield Fire Department in recognition of their very efficient services at the recent fire in their chapel. There is also some talk among the business men of the town of entertaining the Fire Department at dinner on Washington's Birthday, being a compliment which they are worthy of.

Mrs. Arthur M. Lee was badly bitten by a bulldog some days since under circumstances that are degrading to Bloomfield manhood. Some men standing on Glenwood Ave., near the Truck house, urged the bulldog to attack a dog that was with Mrs. Lee. She went to the rescue of her dog, was bitten by the other and snared at by the men. Yet there are people who think we have no need for a police force nor a lockup.

Arrangements have been made for the holding of a series of revival meetings in the First Baptist Church, which will commence on Sunday, Feb. 26th. Rev. C. W. Wofield of Jersey City will assist the pastor in the work.

Coopmans from the W. O. Sayles property still continue to discharge their overland on Bloomfield Ave., very much to the annoyance of the property owners and passers by. Mr. Corby, the Health Inspector, had the master in hand when it was referred to the Town Council. There is very much indignation felt because the master is not attended to.

Never has the want of good lights been so much needed as this winter. The dangerous condition of the sidewalks and crossings has been a menace to life and limb. Pedestrians trample their way in the dark have done so great risks.

The weather has been cold, temperature torrid, there has been slush, snow, ice and rain. The wind has been from every point of the compass, with zephyr breezes from the icy breath of the Arctic regions. There has been a round of weather which the oldest inhabitant never went through with before.

Petitions are being circulated among our mills and factories, favoring the repeal of the fifty-five hour law. It is felt that the workmen should be given a day off to contemplate the conclusion that if a person could by any possibility present an attractive appearance in the garb of the Salvation Army she was that one. Her costume, while carrying out in detail all the requirements of the Army, was of the very finest material. Her gloves, shoes and umbrella were as dainty as the most fastidious could have wished, even her bonnet instead of being the sterilized plain affair one is accustomed to see on the streets was toned down in a measure with the assistance of rich silk and ribbons to accord with the sweet face beneath it. Miss Van — had been a member of one of the fashionable churches on Madison Avenue until a few months ago, when she felt it her duty to join the Salvation Army of which she became a member, contrary to the wishes of her friends and relatives, and although she has made a rather startling departure from the beaten track of religion, one cannot but admire her remarkable bravery in so doing.

Mrs. Whitney of Cambridge, Mass., is being visited with Mrs. Nathan Russell, Glen Ridge.

Notices have been issued for the social meeting of the Bloomfield High School Association to be held February 17, 1893, in Glen Ridge. A Book Social will be the main feature of the evening's entertainment.

Mrs. L. E. Genin of Glen Ridge will give a 5 o'clock tea at her residence on Saturday evening.

Miss Mamie Graves of Hillside Avenue is dangerously sick, having had a relapse.

Mrs. Nathan Russell is kept at home with an affection of the eyes.

Bloomfield Turn Verein.

The Turners of Bloomfield gave their first ball last night at Metz's Hall. It was largely attended by their friends.

Music was furnished by Prof. Pidert and dancing was enjoyed by all. At half past ten a team of eight gave a gynastic exhibition on the horizontal and parallel bars and vaulting horses. Very much skill was shown and young men who a short time since could hardly carry a scuttle of coal gave surprising exhibitions of strength. Dancing was resumed, the festive crowd continuing to go around in the merry whirl of a waltz long after the hour when the street lamps are put out.

The Floor Managers were Chris, G. Jas. and Mrs. Blechle. Committee of Arrangements Otto Beyer, Phil. and Albert Lipf. The Instruction of Gymnastics are Paul Herold and Philip Bial.

The Star Course.

The last entertainment of the Star course was given on Friday evening.

The Bostonians brought all the brightness of their united rays to bear on the concert and afforded the large audience a very enjoyable evening.

Miss Osgood's selections on the violin were well chosen and delightedly rendered. Miss Morrill possessed a sweet voice and her solo were well received. In the "reading school" Miss Brewer displayed remarkable talents in the portrayal of the attempts of juvenile artists to "speak in public on the stage." Mr. Preceptor's contributions were certainly unique and in some instances rather startling. His representations of the sounds of musical instruments were marvelous.

A Good Roads' Congress.

The World's Congress Auxiliary of the Columbian Exposition will have a Good Roads' Congress.

The object of this Congress is to advance the good roads' interest, now so thoroughly aroused in every State of the Union; to develop the most practical systems of improved roads for all countries; the best methods of construction, including drainage; encourage a proper public and private support.

For this International Congress, they

already have the promise of papers by

Europe, where good roads have done so

much for the prosperity of Agriculture

and Commerce, and will also have the

co-operation of civil engineers and other

experts in the construction of good roads

of our own country.

At the meeting of the young people of

the First Church Monday night, Mr. Polhemus Lyon gave a very interesting ac-

count of his recent travels in the East.

He described first the ocean trip from

England to South Africa, and then a de-

scription of Cape Town, where he spent

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